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ELECTION NOTICES.
ELECTION NOTICE.
UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ACT passed by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, at its regular session on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1866, I will on Saturday, the 15th day of September, A. D. 1866, hold an election at the County Seat of Shelby County, to determine the removal of the County Seat of Shelby County from the City of Memphis to the following named gentlemen are appointed Judges of said election:
District No. 1 - J. W. Bond, W. E. Gaither, J. H. Lupton, Deputy Sheriff, Thomas Epperson.
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Deputy Sheriffs, Judges, Clerks and Voters will be required to comply with the laws of the State, defining and limiting the elective franchise.
Deputy Sheriff will make their returns to me at the Sheriff's Office in the Greenlaw Block, Second Street, Memphis.
P. M. WINTERS, Sheriff Shelby County.

ELECTION NOTICE.
AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON Saturday, the 15th day of September, 1866, to elect the voters of the qualified voters of the City of Memphis to the office of Mayor, for the term of one year, to begin on the 1st day of January, 1867.
Polls will be opened at Engine-house No. 5 and Engine-house No. 3, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.
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Queen Victoria's Speech.
The following are the principal passages of interest in the Queen's speech on the prorogation of Parliament.
Her Majesty has great satisfaction in congratulating the country and the world at large on the successful accomplishment of the great design of connecting Europe and America by the means of an electric telegraph. It is hardly possible to anticipate to the full extent of the benefits which may be conferred on the human race by the signal triumph of scientific enterprise; and Her Majesty has pleasure in expressing her deep sense of what that triumph has done for the country, in spite of repeated failure and discouragement, has at length, for the second time, succeeded in establishing direct communication between the two continents. Her Majesty trusts that no impediment may occur to interrupt the success of this great undertaking, calculated as it is, undoubtedly, to cement yet closer ties which bind Her Majesty's North American colonies to their mother country, and to promote the unrestricted intercourse and friendly feeling which is most desirable should exist between Her Majesty's dominions and the great Republic of the United States.
A wide-spread treasonable conspiracy, having for objects the subversion of Her Majesty's authority in Ireland, the confiscation of property and the establishment of a republic having its seat in Ireland, and deriving its principal support from naturalized citizens of a foreign and friendly State, compelled Her Majesty, at the commencement of the present session, to assent to a measure recommended by her representative in Ireland for the temporary suspension in that part of Her Majesty's dominions of the habeas corpus act. That measure firmly but temporarily acted on by the Irish Executive, had the effect of repressing any attempt to carry out the treasonable intentions, and caused the withdrawal from Ireland of the greater portion of the conspiracy was mainly fostered.
The leaders, however, of this movement were deterred from prosecuting their criminal designs beyond the limits of Her Majesty's dominions. They even attempted from the territories of the United States to incite the energies of subjects of Her Majesty in her North American provinces. That attempted inroad, however, only served to manifest in the strongest manner the loyalty and devotion of Her Majesty's subjects in those provinces who, without exception of creed or origin, united in defense of their sovereign and their country.
It served also to show the good faith and scrupulous attention to international law displayed by the Government of the United States, whose active interference, by checking any attempt at invasion of a friendly State, mainly contributed to protect Her Majesty's dominions against the evils of a predatory inroad.

Who is Ristori?
The anticipated advent in America of Madame Adelaide Ristori, the Italian tragedienne, is creating a considerable interest, and many inquiries are addressed to her history. She is the successful rival of Rachel, was born at Civita di Frinili, Italy, in 1826, and made her first appearance on the boards at the age of two months, when she was introduced in a basket, in a play called "New Year's Gifts." In her youth she played sottile parts, and afterward became the most accomplished comedienne in Italy. During the year 1846 she became the wife of the heir of one of the noblest Roman families, the Marquis Campanella del Grillo, which caused great trouble, and the couple were obliged to separate. The Marquis visited Florence in disguise, and remained there until the family pride relented, a reconciliation took place through the influence of Cardinal Fieschi. She left the stage, but afterward volunteered to appear for the benefit of a poor manager who had been thrown into prison for debt. Three representations were given, and her success was beyond all her prior achievements. Her genius, however, was destined to reveal itself in its power and glory in the sublime forms of tragedy, which up to the year 1848 she had only attempted. She made her first appearance in Paris on the 23d of May, 1855, in the character of Francesca di Rimini, and at once became a favorite. Thirty-six performances were given during her engagement, and the receipts amounted to about \$85,000. Her second season in Paris was a repetition of her former triumphs. She then went to England and performed there with equal success. Her repertoire in this country will include all the celebrated characters of the great tragedienne.

Terrible Tragedy in Maryland.
From Baltimore, August 16, 1866.
Intelligence reached this city yesterday of a terrible tragedy that occurred

on Sunday last in Somerset county, Md. The affair occurred at the burial of a young man named Hinton. It is stated that after the funeral the remains were conveyed to the private burial grounds of Josephus Humphreys, and when the relatives and friends had assembled, a young man named Humphreys, from Princess Anne, escorted a relative who had recently married a man by the name of Cooper, to the grave. Her husband stopped them and threatened to shoot him if he proceeded one step farther; whereupon a brother of the lady, named Johnson, remarked: "If you want to shoot any one, shoot me." Cooper immediately drew a revolver and shot Johnson through the heart. Mr. Josiah Elingsworth attempted to restrain Cooper from further violence, whereupon he (Cooper) turned upon and shot him through the back, killing him in about five minutes. Another of the bystanders knocked Cooper down with a chair and tied him securely, with the assistance of those present. It is stated that Mr. and Mrs. Cooper had separated, and the latter had been living with her brothers for the last three or four months, and had applied for a divorce from her husband for alleged ill-treatment.

Another Civil War Threatened.
Gertrude Smith has recently published a letter in which, with characteristic frankness and candor, he expresses his opinion that another civil war is probably necessary, and is close upon us. We make the following extract:
The war will break out again if suffrage is withheld from the black man. It will, in that case, break out in revenge upon the loyal whites of the South, in persecution of the blacks of the South, and but too probably, on a much broader, if not indeed on a national scale.
In all probability, our nation will learn no more of righteousness until she shall have drifted on to another breaking up. In all probability she must reach another bloody catastrophe before her sunken soul shall feel another upward impulse.
In closing this letter, let me say that I would not underrate the present Congress. In the main it is composed of men who are neither ignorant of the right nor indifferent to it. Unhappily they were not sufficiently resolute to follow up their convictions and insist on harvesting the fruits of our dear bought victory. Alas, that Congress has, too probably, left it impossible for these fruits ever to be harvested. Alas, that its mistakes have, but too probably, rendered vain all this expenditure of blood and treasure! The nation must pass through another season of sorrow ere it shall reach its season of joy. Seed must again be sown in tears and blood ere this nation shall reap its harvest of salvation.

Fenian Picnic.
BUFFALO, August 21. - The Fenian picnic has turned out large. They marched in procession this forenoon through some of the principal streets, and were conducted by Irish military companies, the soldiers being armed only with guns. As the Fenians constitute a large portion of the gathering, it is safe to say that no raid is contemplated on Her Majesty's dominions. Gen. Spear, Murphy and O'Neil arrived yesterday, and will be present at the picnic. An invitation has also been extended to Col. Booker and staff.
NEW YORK, August 21. - A Chicago special says there is great excitement among the Fenians here, and a movement of some kind is evidently under way, although everything is kept profoundly secret. Some mysterious picnics and pleasure gatherings are announced in this vicinity.
Three hundred Fenians left Louisville last night to attend one of their picnics, and on the same train there were thirty cases of rifles. Companies of the 180th Fenian regiment leave Louisville for Chicago to-night. Also 200 Fenians from Nashville, each one carrying a four-shooter by way of provisions.
Two hundred Fenians, from Memphis, Nashville yesterday from Memphis, on their way to attend the Chicago picnic, and the news has been received here, even from New Orleans, that the Fenians there are making preparations for the Chicago picnic.

Solemn Mass for the Confederate Dead.
The belief of the Catholic Church that by our prayers and oblations here on earth we may assist and benefit the souls of our departed friends, has something sublime and beautiful in it. The practice is as old as the church herself, and, according to this belief, on Saturday last the Rev. Father Joseph Bixio celebrated a solemn high mass for the benefit of the souls of the Confederate dead, at St. Francis Church, in this place. The church was crowded to overflowing, the altar, etc., very tastefully hung with black crepe. The vestments of the celebrant were the black and white used on such occasions. The services were very imposing and solemn. We witnessed many a moist eye during the low and impressive remarks of the Reverend Father.
The music, a requiem selected and composed mostly by the leader of the choir, Professor Louis Idie, was very solemn and touching.
Nothing could be more appropriate than this solemn ceremony, and whatever may have been the peculiar religious views of any present, all united in heartfelt and earnest prayer for those who, in a glorious cause, gave their lives - Valley Virginian.

Train on Johnson.
Recently there was a large Fenian audience at Washington to hear George Francis Train deliver a lecture on the future prospects of Ireland. The meeting concluded by giving three hearty cheers for the President.
In 1776 (said Train) the Irish helped to fight our battle on the question that "taxation without representation is robbery," and now we have taxed the South some fifty or sixty millions, and yet they have no representation in the country. Andrew Johnson, said to the people of the Southern States, "Abolish slavery, repudiate your war debt, and repeal the act of secession." They did it all. Are they back, or is there any chance of their coming back? How, then, unless you vote to bring back our own States, can you have an Irish nationality? Assist us to have American nationality first. The reconstruction plan of Abraham Lincoln is nothing more or less than the reconstruction plan of Andrew Johnson. He has not changed a single

point. Where he stood at the commencement he stands now. I look upon him as the great head centre of constitutional liberty throughout the world. [Great cheering.]

The War on Preachers.
The infamous war on preachers still progresses in Missouri. The St. Louis Republican of yesterday says:
Satan and other radicals just now seem to be waging an exterminating war upon the preachers in Missouri. Not content with putting them in prison, fining and indicting them for expounding the word of God, the devils seem to have taken "a long pull, a strong pull and a pull altogether," with a view of getting rid of that class of criminals entirely. The shocking murder of the Rev. Mr. Headler has been followed, it appears, by other violent acts. In Grand county a gang of radical imps, a couple of Sundays ago, drove the Rev. Joseph Devlin from his pulpit, burst open the steeple caps at him, and hooted him out of church, because he had not taken the oath; and, for the same reason, a few days since, the Rev. Mr. Price, while on his way from DeKalb to Clinton county, was followed by a number of outlaws who broke into a house where he was staying over night, and so beaten with clubs and pistols that the unoffending minister had to convey to his home, in a critical condition. Gov. Fletcher, of course, never hears of these things. He is the most ignorant man in Missouri, it would seem, in regard to the true condition of affairs in many parts of the State, and while the best men in it are being shot down like dogs, dragged from the sacred desk, or bludgeoned on the highway by Radical scoundrels, he prates about the "enforcement of the laws" against men who have no thought of violating them! Isn't he a sweet scented executive?

Love at First Sight.
The Rochester Union tells of a party who, visiting New York, went on board of a Liverpool packet, their first acquaintance with a vessel. A sailor boy invited them into a luxurious cabin, when a young lady, one of the party, who was delighted with all she saw, exclaimed: "Oh! how I should like to go to Europe in such a ship!"
"You can," spoke the captain in a deep voice, who had entered the cabin unperceived. "You can, if you will."
"As your stewardess, I suppose, sir," replied the young lady.
"No, as my wife," exclaimed the captain.
"As your wife, sir?" exclaimed she in unfledged astonishment. "You must be joking."
"I mean every word of it," returned the young man, who was fluttered and flattered. She asked for a few hours to consider the unexpected proposition. At the expiration of that time, she gave the captain a favorable answer, and in three days she was married.

Confederate Naval Officers.
The subjoined statement is made by the London Times. The people of the South would prefer to hear of the exploits of their naval heroes on the other side. We can have no sympathy with Austria. We do sympathize with Italy. This is the statement referred to:
The perseverance of Milan affirms positively that many officers of the defunct navy of the Confederate States of America have for several months been serving on board the Austrian fleet, and that their experience in the management of iron-clads, and in working the huge guns now in use, was of very great advantage to the Austrians. I believe there have long been foreign officers in that navy. As long ago as the time of the Crimean war, I remember to have met an Englishman and a Dutchman in command of two Austrian men-of-war. Of one thing there can be no doubt - namely, that the fight was most fiercely contested and that the damage done on both sides was very great.

Greeley on Davis.
Horace Greeley has been badgered again by Thurlow Weed, about his position regarding the trial of Jeff. Davis, and strikes back in this style:
We can not help regarding the imprisonment of Davis as a swindling farce and cheat. He has been kept imprisoned so long that only the wilfully blind can fail to see that there is no purpose to try him with any intent to convict. He is kept in jail awaiting a favorable time to turn him out. If tried, there will be a quarter of a million spent on lawyers and witnesses, with no idea of obtaining a verdict. Meantime, the seeming lion is constantly assuring the prey that he is no real lion, but only Snugg the Joiner - compelled to roar and show his teeth, to save him from the blood thirsty Radicals. We refuse to play the part assigned us in this party business. The prisoner is not to be punished - he is not even to be tried in earnest - stop the farce and let him go!

Terrible Tragedy.
The Mobile Tribune of Saturday says: As the down train on the Mobile and Ohio railroad reached Lockhart's station Thursday night, about twelve o'clock, a woman who was waiting for the train, ran up to the conductor and exclaimed: "The man with the lamp is killed!" The conductor soon discovered the body of the station agent, Mr. D. Haralson, lying on the ground near the train in a dying condition, with a fearful wound in the region of the heart inflicted by a gunshot, the report of which he had heard. It is supposed that the murderer intended to rob the agent of money he had in his charge to forward by express, but the alarm given by the woman who saw him fall caused the villain to make his escape as speedily as possible.

A Duel on a Large Scale.
A letter from Baden contains the following, which illustrates the feeling in the lesser German States:
Last week forty students arrived near the Castle of Durbach, near Offenburg, from Freiburg, accompanied by a surgeon. They were armed with rapiers, and retired into the interior of a forest, where they selected a suitable spot for fighting duels on a large scale, twenty to twenty. They fought a long time, inflicting wounds on each other in the face and arms. One is said to have had his life endangered. What was the origin of this battle? Politics. Twenty were for Austria and twenty for Prussia.

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